

CLAIMS:

1. A hair care composition comprising from about 0.001% to about 5% of polysiloxane resin, wherein at least one substituent group of the resin possesses delocalised electrons and wherein the composition is a leave-on composition.

2. A hair care composition according to Claim 1 wherein the polysiloxane resin comprises from about 0.01% about 2%, ~~more preferably from about 0.1% to 1%,~~ by weight, of the total composition.

3. A hair care composition according to ~~any of the preceding claims~~ wherein the polysiloxane resin substituent group possessing the delocalised electrons is selected from aryl, arylalkyl and alkaryl groups.

4. A hair care composition according to ~~any of the preceding claims~~ wherein the polysiloxane resin substituent group possessing the delocalised electrons is selected from alkaryl groups.

5. A hair care composition according to ~~any of the preceding claims~~ wherein the polysiloxane is a 2-phenylpropyl substituted polysiloxane resin.

6. A hair care composition according to ~~any of the preceding claims~~ wherein the polysiloxane resin has a viscosity of less than about 5000 mm²s⁻¹, preferably less than about 1000 mm²s⁻¹, more preferably less than about 600 mm²s⁻¹, at 25°C.

7. A hair care composition according to ~~any of the preceding claims~~ wherein the polysiloxane resin is an M'Q resin.

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9. A hair care composition according to ~~any of the preceding claims~~ wherein the composition further comprises C₈ to C₂₂, preferably C₁₂ to C₁₈, more preferably C₁₆, fatty alcohol.
- 5 9. A method of conditioning hair by applying to the hair an effective amount of a composition according to ~~any of the preceding claims~~.
10. A packaged product comprising a composition according to ~~any of Claims 4 to 8~~ and a suitable package for said composition wherein the package has instructions indicating that the composition is intended to be left on the hair.

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Claim 1

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